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In re application of : Shoji KARASAWA et al.

Group Art Unit : 1745

Serial No. : 09/664,323

Examiner : S. Tsang-Foster

Filed : September 18, 2000

For : ELECTRODE PLATE UNIT FOR RECHARGEABLE BATTERY AND MANUFACTURING
METHOD THEREOF

THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

A Request for Extension of Time.

A Terminal Disclaimer.

A Request for Approval of Drawing Amendment, with 1 sheet of drawings.

A Letter to the Draftsman, with 1 sheet of drawing.

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Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			140=	\$	+280=	\$ 0.00
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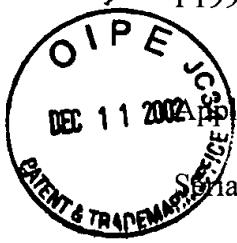
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any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission (37 CFR 1.136)(a)(3).

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LETTER TO THE DRAFTSMAN

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Enclosed is one sheet of formal drawings corresponding to the drawings submitted
together with the application as filed, and including changes submitted with the Request for
Approval of Drawing Amendment filed concurrently herewith.

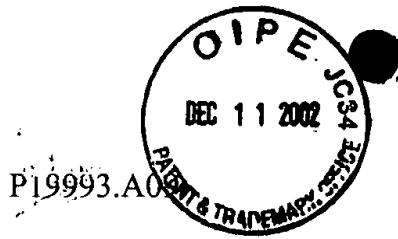
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees concerning the
application to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In accordance with the Examiner's request, attached hereto is a drawing sheet containing Figs. 16A, 16B, and 17 corresponding to the drawing sheet as originally filed with the present application on September 18, 2000, but with the requested change to Fig. 17 indicated in red therein. In particular, this figure has been amended by changing the leftmost occurrence of 41j to ---41i---. This change does not introduce any prohibited new matter into the present application but rather merely eliminate a typographical error noted in the Official Action of September 11, 2002.

Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to approve entry of the above-noted change to Fig. 17 of the present application.

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Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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